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SUBJECT: IDB ANNUAL MTG

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1. EMB UNABLE AT THIS TIME TO GIVE FULL RESPONSE BUT WILL ADVISE AS SOON AS WE COMPLETE CONVERSATIONS WITH GOC OFFICIALS.
 2. COMPOSITION GOC DEL NOT YET DETERMINED. PROBABLY WILL INCLUDE AT MINIMUM MINFIN LLORENTE, ONE MONETARY BOARD ADVISOR, AND REPRESENTATIVE OF NATIONAL PLANNING DEPT.
 3. EMB NOT AWARE ANY ISSUES USDEL SHOULD RAISE WITH GOC NOR ISSUES GOC MAY WISH TO DISCUSS WITH US. USDEL SHOULD KNOW THAT THERE IS CONSIDERABLE CRITICISM BEING EXPRESSED CURRENTLY IN COLOMBIA TO URBAN DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM IN EASTERN BOGOTA FOR WHICH IDB APPROVED 2 LOANS IN DEC 1972 FOR \$44 MILLION. PROJECT IS COMPLEX INTEGRATED UNDERTAKING INVOLVING ELECTRICITY. WATER, RAODS, ETC., AND HAS PRIORITY SUPPORT OF PASTRANA ADMINISTRATION. CRITICISM MAINLY AIMED AT PLANS TO BUILD COSTLY ROAD AND TO RE-LOCATE HOMES OF RELATIVELY NUMBER OF LOW- INCOME PERSONS.
 4. RECENT PUBLIC STATMENTS BY PRESS PASTRANA SUGGESTS GOC DEL MAY ATTEMPT IN GOV ADDRESS TO ASSUME LA LEADERSHIP ROLE BY CRITICIZING DONORS FOR INADEQUATE FOREIGN ASSITANCE AND FOR ONEROUS TERMS. USDEL CAN OBVIOUSLY CITE IF NECESSARY GENERAL US SUPPORT OF IDB AND VERY SOFT TERMS AID LENDING. ALSO MIGHT POINT OUT IN PRIVATE CONVERSATIONS THAT COLOMBIA IS RECIPIENT OF PER-
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HAPS THE LARGEST AMOUNT OF CONCESSIONAL LENDING OF ALL COUNTRIES
IN LA; I. E., MORE THAN \$2 BILLION IN LAST 10 YRS ABOUT EQUALLY
DIVIDED BETWEEN US BILATERAL AND MULTILATERAL AGENCY
LOANS.
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